

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

NOTICE

DOCKET: 97-01181

IN RE: Small Telephone Companies Tariff Filings Regarding Reclassification of Pay Telephone Service as Required by Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Docket 96-128

DATE: November 14, 2002

On November 4, 2002, the Pre-Hearing Officer issued the *Order Granting Agreed Motion for Continuance*, which directed the parties to file comments, rate proposals and justifications for rates no later than Tuesday, November 12, 2002. On November 12, 2002, the Tennessee Coalition of Small Local Exchange Companies and the Tennessee Payphone Owners Association jointly filed the *Agreed Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule*, requesting that the November 12, 2002 deadline for filing comments, rate proposals and justifications for rates be suspended to allow for additional settlement negotiations.

The Pre-Hearing Officer will hold a status conference with the parties on **Thursday, November 21, 2002 at 1:00 p.m.** to address the issues raised in the above mentioned Motion, including the status of the settlement negotiations. The status conference will be held in the first floor conference room at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee.

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FOR THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY:

Pat Miller (with permission HQ)
Director Pat Miller, Pre-Hearing Officer

cc: Parties of Record
(original in docket file)